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Sir:

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Enclosed is an International Search Report issued in International Patent Application PCT/FI/2004/000806 which was filed on December 29, 2004 and which is a parallel application to the present application.

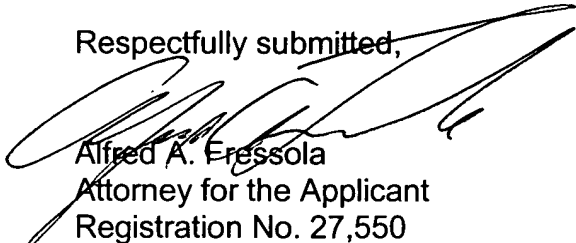
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